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SY CHANNEL

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TAGS: ASEC
SUBJECT: RSO REPLACEMENT--NAIROBI,--ST. MARS/GARRETT TELCON

1. RECAPING CON OF AUGUST 23, BELIEVE WE SHOULD MOVE FORWARD IN SELECTING REPLACEMENT FOR RSO DURFEY SOONEST.
2. EXTENDING DURFEY TO JUNE 1979 WOULD RESULT IN 5 YEAR ASSIGNMENT, WHICH IS MUCH TOO LONG, AS WELL AS CANCEL HIS ONWARD ASSIGNMENT TO SEATTLE.
3. UNDER CIRCUMSTANCES BELIEVE LESS SENIOR GRADE RSO COULD BE ASSIGNED WITH ELEVATION OF RSO GEORGE LARSON TO SENIOR RSO. LARSON IS MATURE, WITH GOOD JUDGMENT AND HOLDS THE RANK OF FSR-4. WHILE LIMITED IN OVERALL EXPERIENCE BELIEVE HE CAN LEARN QUICKLY AND EFFECTIVELY. ON-SITE PRESENCE OF RTC AND RSS SHOULD NOT BE OVERLOOKED.
4. IN CONSIDERING LOWER GRADED OFFICER THOUGHT COMES TO MIND WHETHER A/RSO STEVE BRAY WOULD NOT MAKE A GOOD CANDIDATE. AS YOU RECALL, AMBASSADOR AND ADMIN. COUNSELOR CAIRO HAVE BOTH INDICATED THAT BRAY SHOULD

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BE ASSIGNED ANOTHER A/RSO SLOT BEFORE GOING IT ALONE. WHILE I DO NOT AGREE WITH THAT EVALUATION THE FACT THAT BRAY HAS CONSIDERABLE EXPERIENCE WOULD ADD BALANCE AND WEIGHT TO THE TWO POSITIONS IN NAIROBI.
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